



41 2615
#16/C ✓
7-28-04

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown below.

Dated: July 16, 2004 Signature: Jonathan A. David
(Jonathan A. David)

Docket No.: SONYJP 3.0-088
(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

7/29/04

In re Patent Application of: :
Murayama et al. :
 :
 :
Application No.: 09/438,630 : Group Art Unit: 2615
 :
Filed: November 12, 1999 : Examiner:
 : Onuaku, Christopher O.
For: PROGRAM RECEIVER AND METHOD OF :
DISPLAY PROCESSING OF PROGRAM :
EXPLANATION SCREEN :

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RECEIVED
JUL 22 2004
Technology Center 2600

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed on April 7, 2004, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks. A one-month extension petition is submitted herewith extending the date for response until August 7, 2004.



AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.
SONYJP 3.0-088

Application No.
09/438,630

Filing Date
November 12, 1999

Examiner
Christopher O. Onuaku

Art Unit
2615

Applicant(s): Naoki Murayama, Ichiro Hamada, Tatsuya Wakahara, and Hajime Inoue

Invention: PROGRAM RECEIVER AND METHOD OF DISPLAY PROCESSING OF PROGRAM EXPLANATION SCREEN

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
Total Claims	14	- 20 =		x	0.00
Independent Claims	2	- 3 =		x	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable)				<input type="checkbox"/>	JUL 22 2004
Other fee (please specify):				Technology Center 2600	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:					0.00

☒ Large Entity

☐ Small Entity

☒ No additional fee is required for this amendment.

☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1095 in the amount of \$ _____
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

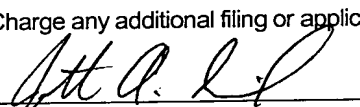
☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 12-1095 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

☒ Credit any overpayment.

☒ Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.

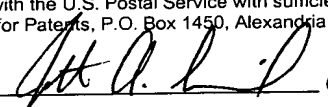

Jonathan A. David
Attorney Reg. No.: 36,494

Dated: July 16, 2004

LERNER, DAVID, LITTENBERG, KRUMHOLZ & MENTLIK, LLP
600 South Avenue West
Westfield, New Jersey 07090
(908) 518-6316

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail, in an envelope addressed to: MS Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown below.

Dated: July 16, 2004

Signature:  (Jonathan A. David)